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In re Application of

Magdina et al.

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For: METHOD OF PAINTING, PAINT USABLE FOR

THE METHOD AND METHOD OF PRODUCING

THE PAINT

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.102(d)

This is in response to the petition filed April 26, 2004, requesting that the above-identified application be granted Special Status under 37 CFR 1.102(d). The fee under 37 CFR 1.17(h) has been paid.

The request for Special Status is denied because criteria under 37 CFR 1.102(d) have not been met. The exceptions made by way of petitions to make special which may be granted are set forth in Section 708.02 MPEP and Applicant's petition does not meet the criteria.

Accordingly the petition is **DENIED**.

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